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STATINTL

1. []/OSI called to discuss the authority of OSI to be the final arbiter of the technical information to be included in Chapter VII of the NIS. I told [] that our interpretation of CIA's legal responsibilities would make CIA the final arbiter in all national intelligence matters and therefore that the coordinator of Chapter VII (AD/SI) could assume those responsibilities.

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2. [], Deputy Director of PSB, stated in connection with the request of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee (See memo dated 6 August 1952) for PSB testimony on the Benton Resolution, S. Res. 74, the DCI would talk privately with Subcommittee Chairman Fulbright regarding the PSB position in this matter. In addition, PSB sent an unofficial observer to the meeting of the Committee staff with State and Defense on 8 August.

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3. [] of LRB, states that he wishes to have the CIA loyalty cases postaudited and I have requested that he postpone this matter for ten days while our security staff reviews the files for operational information.